

REMARKS

In the Specification

Support for the amendment at [54] to replace "FLAVONOID" with "AROMATIC" is found at column 3, lines 1-3.

Support for the amendment at column 1, line 2 to replace "FLAVONOID" with "AROMATIC" is found at column 3, lines 1-3.

Support for the amendment at column 1, line 17 to replace "flavonoid" with "aromatic" is found at column 3, lines 1-3.

Support for the amendment at column 1, line 65 to replace "flavonoid" with "aromatic" is found at column 3, lines 1-3.

The amendment at column 1, line 66 to replace "a" with "an" is to use the correct article in relation to the amendment in column 1, line 67.

Support for the amendment at column 1, line 67 to replace "flavonoid" with "aromatic" is found at column 3, lines 1-3.

The amendments at column 2, line 10 is to replace "CHO" and "H" with "-CHO" and "-H", respectively, is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

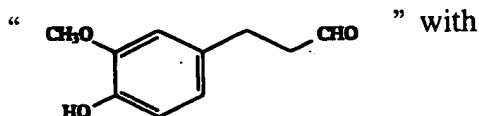
The amendment at column 2, line 11 is to replace "OH" with "-OH" is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

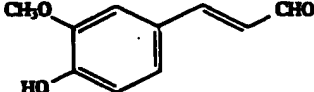
Support for the amendment at column 2, line 26 to replace "flavonoid" with "aromatic" is found at column 3, lines 1-3.

The amendment at column 2, line 65 to replace "OH" with "-OH" is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

The amendment at column 3, line 2 to delete "flavonoid aldehydes, particularly" is self-supporting.

Support for the amendment at column 3, line 10 to replace



“” is found in formula (1) at column 2, line 5 and formula (2) at

column 2, line 60.

Support for the amendment at column 3, line 64 to replace “flavonoid” with “aromatic” is found at column 3, lines 1-3.

The amendment at column 3, line 65 to delete “application Ser.” is to correct a minor typographic error since the sentence describes a patent and not an application.

Support for the amendment at column 4, line 45 to replace “cellulase” with “cellulose” is found at column 3, lines 41-45.

The amendment at column 4, line 46 to delete “application Ser.” is to correct a minor typographic error since the sentence describes patents and not applications.

Support for the amendment at column 4, line 53 to replace “cellulase” with “cellulose” is found at column 3, lines 41-45.

Support for the amendment at column 4, line 53 to replace “fla-” with “aromatic” is found at column 3, lines 1-3.

The amendment at column 4, line 54 to delete “-venoid” is made in conjunction with the amendment at column 4, line 53 to replace “fla-” with “aromatic”, and support is found at column 3, lines 1-3.

Support for the amendment at column 4, line 54 to replace “cellulase” with “cellulose” is found at column 3, lines 41-45.

Support for the amendment at column 4, line 57 to replace “cellulase” with “cellulose” is found at column 3, lines 41-45.

Support for the amendment at column 4, line 62 to replace “cellulase” with “cellulose” is found at column 3, lines 41-45.

The amendments at column 5, line 19 to delete both “(L.)” is to correct a minor typographic error and delete extraneous letters.

The amendment at column 6, line 16 to delete “(l.)” is to correct a minor typographic error and delete an extraneous letter.

The amendment at column 6, line 17 to delete “(l.)” is to correct a minor typographic error and delete an extraneous letter.

Support for the amendment at column 6, line 26 to replace “files” with “flies” is found in column 6, lines 15-25.

In the Claims

In Claim 1 the amendment at column 7, line 66 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 1 the amendment at column 8, line 1 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 5 the amendment at column 8, line 25 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 5 the amendment at column 8, line 27 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 7 the amendment at column 8, line 42 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 7 the amendment at column 8, line 44 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 7 the amendment at column 8, line 45 to insert “wherein said compound is not cinnamic aldehyde,” is to state that the compound is not cinnamic aldehyde. Support for this amendment is found in Claim 7 as originally filed. The negative limitation is definite and clear.

In Claim 8 the amendment at column 8, line 59 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 8 the amendment at column 8, line 62 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 10 the amendment at column 9, line 13 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 10 the amendment at column 9, line 15 to replace “H” with “-H” is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 12 the amendment at column 9, line 23 to insert “or 17” after “7” is to reflect the alternative dependence to Claim 7 or new Claim 17.

In Claim 13 the amendment at column 10, line 10 to replace “H” with “-H” is to

correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 13 the amendment at column 10, line 12 to replace "H" with "-H" is to correct a minor typographic error and clarify the substituent.

In Claim 14 support for the amendment at column 10, line 16 to replace "cellulase" with "cellulose" is found at column 3, lines 41-45.

In Claim 15 the amendment at column 10, line 17 to insert "or 17" after "7" is to reflect the alternative dependence to Claim 7 or new Claim 17.

In Claim 16 the amendment at column 10, line 20 to insert "or 17" after "7" is to reflect the alternative dependence to Claim 7 or new Claim 17.

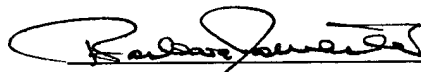
New Claim 17 is added to claim a composition having the designated formula. Support for this new claim is found, for example, at column 2, line 57 to column 3, line 1.

CONCLUSION

In view of the above remarks, there is no addition of new matter and it is submitted that this application is now ready for allowance. Early notice to that effect is solicited. If in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (650) 328-4400.

Respectfully submitted,

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